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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of:)
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Filed: December 15, 2003)
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For: APPARATUS AND METHODS)
FOR GUIDING A NEEDLE)

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NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31

Sir:

Applicant appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the
Examiner's decision mailed December 13, 2005.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. ☒ A Petition for one month extension of time to further extend the period for response to April 13, 2006 is enclosed together with a fee of **\$120.00**.
2. ☒ The Appeal Fee of **\$500.00** is enclosed.
3. ☒ A check for **\$620.00** to cover the above fees is enclosed.

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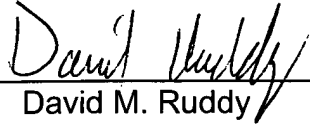
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Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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